

REMARKS

The title, specification, and drawings have been amended. Support for the title correction is found at page 1, line 7. Figure 1 and reference to Figure 1 in the specification is corrected to correspond to the labeling of the two sheets of Figure 1 as Figure 1A and 1B. Website identifiers are removed. No new matter has been added. Applicants believe that no fee is required for the filing of this preliminary amendment. Should the commissioner determine that a fee is due before this preliminary amendment is considered by the Examiner, including the extension of time, such extension is requested and the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 03-2775.

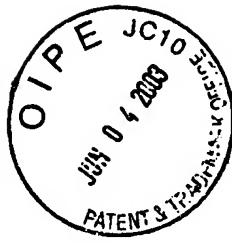
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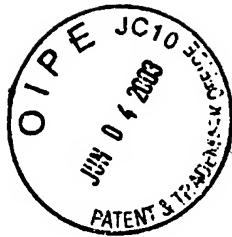
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Comparison of the Corn, Soybean (2), and Arabidopsis Sterol Reductases

FIG. 1A



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